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SUBJECT:EXTENSION OF U.S.AT&T TAX TREATY TO PUERTO RICO

REF: PORT OF SPAIN 3152

1. EMBASSY INTERPRETATION OF TREATY CORRECT THAT PUERTO RICO NOT COVERED.
 2. U.S. POSITION IS THAT IF PUERTO RICO WISHES TO BE COVERED BY TREATY, WE WILL ATTEMPT TO MAKE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS. IN PAST, PUERTO RICO HAS NOT BEEN INTERESTED
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IN ACCEPTING U.S. TAX TREATY OBLIGATIONS. HOWEVER, WE DON'T KNOW THEIR PRESENT VIEW. FEEL THAT INITIATIVE SHOULD COME FROM TREATY PARTNER OR P.R., NOT FROM USG.

3. EMBASSY MAY SOUND OUT GOTT OFFICIALS TO SEE IF THEY WISH TREATY EXTENDED. IF SO, WE WILL CONTACT PR OFFICIALS. GOTT SHOULD UNDERSTAND THAT INQUIRY IMPLIES NO COMMITMENT ON PART OF USG OR PR.

4. IF DECISION MADE TO EXTEND TREATY, NEGOTIATIONS
PROBABLY REQUIRED TO SEE WHICH PROVISIONS ARE
RELEVANT AND IF ANY MODIFICATIONS ARE NECESSARY TO
REFLECT DIFFERENCES BETWEEN U.S. AND PR TAX SYSTEMS,
AND TO EXPLAIN TREATY TO PR OFFICIALS.
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